Diary Dates

Sep 14 | Grade 3 & 4 Polly Woodside Exc.
Sep 15 | I sea I care – workshop
Sep 16 | Division Athletics
        | Road Safety incursion P-2
        | 9:30-10:30am
Nov 2  | All camp payments to be completed

Friday Sep 18th – Last day of term  2:30pm finish
Monday Oct 5 - First Day of Term Four – 9am start

Principal’s Report

Our footy fundraiser dress up day is on next Thursday 17th September
We are inviting students to dress up in an AFL, NRL, Soccer clothes or team colours or come as an umpire and are raising money to purchase new basketball rings and backboards. You are welcome to join us for our whole school assembly on Thursday at 2:35pm for a parade followed by the usual assembly activities

The SEDA Rugby and cricket clinics have continued this term. These activities are enjoyed by all and it is wonderful to see the students outside, interacting with the older students. Students from senior classes have also participating in a Rugby Gala Day at Westall Secondary College. Much fun was had in the mud and rain!

I recently visited Westall Secondary College and Oakleigh South Secondary College to chat with past students. It was great to see and hear about how favourably they regard Clayton South Primary, how well they are doing academically and the leadership roles they are in. It is a wonderful testament to our teaching staff and the work they do on preparing students for their future.

Two of our students, Nanveet Bataan and Kanishka Bataan, were presented with prizes at last Thursday’s assembly. Georgia Staikos who is a past student and now a teacher at Westall Secondary College presented the awards for the students participating in the ANZAC Centenary Completion as well as place getters Nanveet and Kanishka.

Their writings were inspiring and very moving.

Congratulations!
A special banking will occur on Thursday 17th September. Don’t forget to bank on this day and join in the fun and special guest teller from the bank.

New teaching resources are constantly being updated and purchased. An example is the hundreds of new take home reading books recently bought from our English budget. Students have commented on how much they are enjoying these new books and I’d love to hear your feedback on these and any other items we are using or you think we should be using at our school.

Another busy term is drawing to a close. Thank you to all the students, parents and staff for all your hard work this term. Please have a restful and enjoyable break. Term 3 finishes on Friday 18th September at 2:30pm.

During the school holidays works will continue on our school. One hundred and eighty energy efficient globes will be installed and some of our exterior lighting will be replaced with more energy efficient ones.

Our playgrounds will be undergoing some much needed maintenance and fresh mulch will make our playgrounds much safer. The office staff will be on deck some time of the holidays and I would appreciate our school community keeping an eye on our grounds please.

A big thank you to the small group of hard working helpers who organised the yummy pizza lunch fundraiser for students and staff on Tuesday, your efforts are much appreciated by the school.
Prep visit to Clayton South Kindergarten to see their chickens

The chickens felt soft and they were cute. They were cheeping and they had a little fly. We liked visiting them at the Kinder. They are only babies and they were yellow and brown, By Jordan, Nemo and Bader.
Book Character Dress Up Day
**Student Awards**

*Presented at assembly – Thursday August 27 & September 3*

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Extend OSHC at
Clayton South Primary School

HAVE YOU SAVED THE SERVICE MOBILE NUMBER IN YOUR CONTACTS?

Did you know you can contact your service directly? If you are running late or need to speak with our staff directly, you can contact the service mobile number which is switched on during the service operation hours. Please visit your service to save this number in your contacts for easy access. Note: for all admin related enquiries please contact our office on 1300 366 437.

Our recap
Over the past two weeks, we have enjoyed making Aboriginal paintings, self portraits, canvas paintings, sponge leaf stampings, and welcome board. Kids loved going on nature walk. Further, kids have enjoyed playing footy with our school volunteer. Furthermore, kids played colour tiggy, octopus and toilet tiggy as well as quieter games as hungry dino, memory match and Uno. However, the highlight for the past two weeks is our farm construction activity where we made farm using paddle pop sticks and also discussed about farm animals.

As this is the last newsletter of the term, I'd like to take this opportunity to thank you all for being part of the OSHC program. I hope you all have a great time off over the holidays and we'll see you ready for Term 4.

Kind Regards,
Dilpreet

Our Extend Superstar is... Teija for showing best listening manners and encouraging others to do right thing.

Next week’s activities:
Monday 14 September: Spiders
Tuesday 15 September: Farm animals
Wednesday 16 September: Spring art
Thursday 17 September: Tissue flowers (Last day of term party)
Friday 18 September: Paper fairy